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Flexible power supplies made easy

Smart electrification solutions for ANDRITZ headquarters in Graz

Lüdenscheid, August 2018. The world of work is constantly changing: modern and innovative forms of collaboration demand maximum flexibility. At the same time, the technical infrastructure needs to keep up and provide an efficient data and power supply that can respond to changes quickly and easily. Reflecting this need, the headquarters of technology company ANDRITZ AG in Graz were not only comprehensively restructured and renovated; they were also equipped with the latest power supply solutions. The internationally-operating company chose the modular systems supplied by EVOLine, which allow for both custom configurations and future modifications to the installation modules.

A particular challenge during the conversion work in the five-storey office block was to avoid any interruptions to day-to-day operations continuing in the building. Thanks to the flexibility of the electrification solutions, it was a simple matter to install the products in gradual succession. With the extensive conversion work completed, all important workstation connections are within easy reach and the flexible data and power supply is ideally prepared to respond to shifting patterns in the world of work – now and in the future.

Power at your fingertips

At the headquarters of ANDRITZ AG, the conference tables were equipped with the FlipTop *Push* from EVOLine. The elegant solution combines a sophisticated electrification system with an attractive design, and discreetly blends into the existing furnishing scheme. The convenient push-to-open function makes it very easy to use, revealing the connections with a simple tap of the finger. The FlipTop *Push* offers a wide range of different connections for conference tables. In addition to two power sockets, the electrification solution was

equipped with a double network socket as an interchangeable module. Two cable outlet modules were also integrated – allowing cables to be fed through, simply pulled out, and connected to a device. The FlipTop *Push* has even more available space, a useful feature for adding further connections in the future.

Clean and tidy

When closed, all that can be seen of the FlipTop *Push* are its cover and stainless steel surround, both of which blend harmoniously with the desktop. Thanks to the protective brush strip, the FlipTop *Push* can even be closed while the connections are in use – allowing cables to be fed through with no kinks. The conference table is always clean and tidy, a fast power and data supply is guaranteed, and on top of all that, the solution acts as an elegant design element. In recognition of its visual appeal and functional design, the FlipTop *Push* won the Good Design Award 2015 and the iF Design Award 2016.

Responsive to change

FlipTop *Push* can be modified to meet changing needs: EVOLine offers a wide range of international power sockets, data, multimedia and protection modules, and switches and buttons. If requirements change in the future, a range of interchangeable modules enable data and multimedia connections to be easily swapped without having to remove the FlipTop *Push*. The modules can be taken out without technical knowledge and replaced by others in the existing holders without the need for any tools.

Compact and stable

A power supply is also within easy reach at other workplaces in the offices of ANDRITZ AG, where EVOLine R-Docks, with their angled front fascia, ensure quick and convenient use. The docks feature three sockets for employees to connect equipment such as laptops. Their housings are firmly bolted to the desk using a desk clamp – preventing unnecessary damage to the material and allowing the modules to be repositioned at any time. The cabling runs

under the desk and is directly integrated below the housing. The R-Docks fit perfectly in the space between the desk and the organiser panel behind it, keeping the working area tidy and making sure nothing gets in the way of productivity.

Illustrations



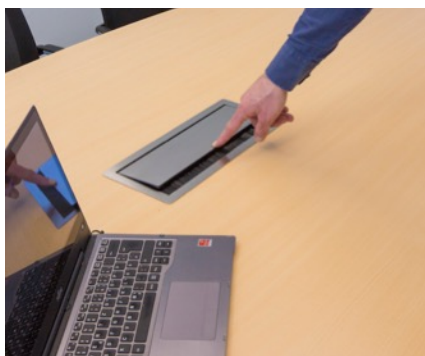
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Caption: At the headquarters of ANDRITZ AG, the conference tables were equipped with the elegant FlipTop *Push* from EVoline. © Schulte Elektrotechnik



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Caption: In addition to two power sockets, the solution integrated two network connections and two USB and projector connections. © Schulte Elektrotechnik



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Caption: The convenient push-to-open function reveals the connections with a simple tap of the finger. © Schulte Elektrotechnik



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Caption: The connections are within easy reach, making device connection a simple matter. © Schulte Elektrotechnik



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Caption: A protective brush strip prevents cables becoming caught when the FlipTop *Push* is closed. © Schulte Elektrotechnik



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Caption: EVoline R-Docks are installed on desks and, with their angled front fascia, ensure quick and convenient use. © Schulte Elektrotechnik



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Caption: The R-Dock cabling runs under the desk and is directly integrated below the housing. © Schulte Elektrotechnik

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